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General James C. Shepherd, Jr. USMC
Chairman
Inter-American Defense Board
Washington, D. C.

Dear Gen:

Thank you for your letter of 2 April 1958 inquiring about
possible opportunities for employment with this Agency for [redacted]
upon his retirement.

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Unfortunately, the situation here is not at all encouraging.
As you may know, the Central Intelligence Agency is authorized by
Congress to employ only a very limited number of retired military
officers and the positions provided for this purpose are now either
filled or firmly committed for the next year. Therefore, I regret
that we would not be able to employ [redacted] at this time.

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Your interest in bringing this matter to our attention is
deeply appreciated, and I am sorry the reply cannot be more favorable.
Nevertheless, [redacted] may wish to make application so that
should the situation change in the future, we could get in touch with
him.

With kindest regards,

Sincerely,

Signed

Allen W. Dulles
Director

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14 April 1958

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General Leavel C. Shepherd, Jr., USAF
Chairman
Inter-American Defense Board
Washington, D. C.

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General Lemuel C. Shephard, Jr.
Inter American Defense Board
Office of the Chairman
Washington, D. C.

Dear General Shepherd:

During Mr. Dulles' absence from the city on
a brief holiday I wish to acknowledge and thank
you for your letter of 2 April 1958 concerning

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I shall bring it to his attention when he returns
early next week.

Sincerely,

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[REDACTED]
Executive Officer

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